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# BOMBS WRECK HOME OF N. Y. EXECUTIONER

## U. S. Officers Slain By Sandino Rebels; "Spreckels Companion" Is Freed By Court

### BLAMES RICH CALIFORNIAN FOR ARREST

LOS ANGELES, May 17.—Clara Spreckels, member of one of California's most prominent families, today was named as the companion of Mrs. Martha Katha Murray on a trip to New York and on various excursions in California, when Mrs. Murray testified at her hearing on a charge of chronic alcoholism.

The charges against the woman were dismissed by Judge Gould after her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Katha of San Francisco, had stated that she wanted "to take her home with me and make her behave."

Mrs. Murray was arrested in a Los Angeles hotel Tuesday and later was removed to the psycho-pathic ward and ordered held for an insanity hearing.

During her incarceration she said she was the wife of a noted "millionaire" who had brought on her arrest. Today she placed the blame on Spreckels.

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### Russ Queen!



UNANIMOUSLY chosen as Queen of the Russian colony, pretty Valentina Kaschoune, above, again has proven that she is no novice in winning beauty contests. In 1915, at the age of 15, Miss Kaschoune was voted the most beautiful woman in Warsaw. In 1917 she appeared here in the Russian ballet. She now dances at society affairs and was voted the colony queen not long ago at the Russian Ball.

### Marine Span Action Again Is Delayed

The Marin county board of supervisors yesterday again postponed action on the application for a franchise for a toll bridge from Tiburon to Sausalito, to connect with the proposed span from Albany to Tiburon. This action was taken at the request of T. A. Tomasoli, applicant for the permit, who asked that the matter be held over to July.

Delay was necessary, he stated, in order that he might apply to the State Supreme Court for a writ of mandamus compelling the State engineer to pass upon the plans for the bridge. The State official, he said, had refused to consider the plans on the ground that the bridge was out of his jurisdiction and the War Department had refused to approve the plans without the sanction of the State engineer.

### Oakland Youths Are Bound Over

On recommendation of Deputy District Attorney Hiram E. Jacobs bail for George Norton and William Ward, Oakland youths charged with robbing the tailor shop of Arnie Moe, this city, was raised from \$1000 to \$2000 each when they appeared before Judge Alstrom yesterday morning for preliminary arraignment. Testimony of the two youths resulted in the expropriation of Tony Musto, who, they declared, was picked up in San Francisco after the theft.

### Geese, Goats On City Guests List

Seventy-seven dogs were guests of the city pound during the month of April, according to a report released by Poundmaster Frank Meadner; 70 dogs were humanely executed, 16 redeemed, two returned to their owners and one sold. Two goats were brief visitors, as well as four geese, showing varied activities of the city pound.

### GOES TO L. A.

Mrs. G. D. Stewart of 448 Thirtieth street left Thursday for Hollywood, where she will spend a month with her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Overmire, 5530 Red Oak Drive, Mrs. Stewart's granddaughter, Courtney Brooks, accompanied her on the journey.

### GOLF BOARD FETED

The membership committee of the Carquinez golf club was entertained Wednesday evening by the board of directors of the club. A delightful dinner was served at a charmingly decorated table. Cards were enjoyed during the evening.

### FOOD SALE

The Zephyr's Rebekah sewing society will hold a food sale in Blacks grocery today also some lovely fancy work that the ladies have made will be put up for sale.

### TRAFFIC HALTS AS SHIP HITS BRIDGE CABLE

Traffic was demoralized yesterday when Oakland's "lux" bridge connecting it with Alameda was not out of commission by the motorship Hadnorshire's anchor which severed the bridge cables.

The Key System was forced to re-route all traffic from the Webster street bridge. Telephone service in the western part of Alameda was cut off for many hours.

Service over the Postal Telegraph company wires was almost entirely halted for a time and is still seriously hampered.

One of the severed cables was that which delivers power to the bridge so the bridge draw was held wide open and high in the air. Alameda county authorities are starting an investigation to determine responsibility for the accident. Captain Miller could not be reached for a statement as to his ship's part in the accident.

### Junior High Students To Receive Test

The new Stanford Achievement tests will be presented to the students of Roosevelt junior high school. Preparations were made yesterday afternoon at a conference between Dr. G. M. Ruch, professor of educational psychology, at the University of California, and Principal Frank Shallenbeger.

The tests are part of those being held throughout the country to establish a standard of performance from which the individual schools may take their standards. Professor Ruch is cooperating with Professors L. M. Terman and T. L. Kelly of Stanford University in securing tests in four districts in Northern California.

Among the subjects contained in the tests which are two hours in length are those of word meaning, paragraph meaning, dictation, language usage, literature, civics and history, geography, physiology, arithmetic and hygiene.

### SUGAR PLANT IS VISITED BY LADIES

The General aid society of the Wesley Methodist church report a delightful time on their trip to the sugar refineries of Crockett yesterday. The visit through the mills lasted about two hours and proved to be very interesting and worth while. At noon time the ladies of the society were taken to luncheon by Mr. Edwards, the manager of the mills.

### UNDER DOCTOR'S CARE

Mads Iversen, of Point Arena, father of Mrs. S. A. Stitt and Mrs. J. A. Brien is at the home of the latter on Fourteenth street, where he is under the care of Dr. W. S. Lucas.

### 400 Delegates To S. F. Plumbers Convention Visit Richmond Plant

More than 400 delegates to the Master Plumbers convention in San Francisco were in Richmond yesterday on a tour of inspection of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing plants.

Fifteen employees of the company were given a course of instruction in the features of the various departments to facilitate the handling of the large crowd. The tour was arranged by the company and P. A. Kales, manager of the local plant, as one of the entertainment features of the convention.

Twelve huge sight-seeing busses transported the plumbers to and from San Francisco, arriving here at 11:30 a. m. Lunch was served at the plant after which the guests were taken on a tour of inspection of both plants of the company.

Plumbing fixtures in various stages of construction from the raw material to the finished product were explained to the guests by the plant engineers.

The visitors remained until late in the afternoon when they were taken on a tour of the business and industrial sections of Richmond and returned to San Francisco by way of Oakland.

### Hoover Is Favorite In Oregon Vote

PORTLAND, Ore., May 17.—Voters of Oregon will express their preference for Presidential, District and local candidates for the Republican and Democratic nominations at the Oregon primary election tomorrow.

Herbert Hoover is anointed on the Republican ballot, and having been reared in Oregon is such a general favorite here that it was regarded as a certainty not only that he would receive a high preferential vote but that candidates for seats at the Republican convention expressing favor for him would be elected.

Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York, will win the Democratic preference by a big vote, it was freely predicted, and 10 delegates pledged to him will undoubtedly be elected.

### Nomination Of Hoover May Fall To California Man

WASHINGTON, May 17.—A California man will be selected to place Secretary Hoover in nomination at the Republican National convention, according to his friends today.

Congressman Johnson, Washington Republican brought back the report from the west that Senator David A. Reed of Pennsylvania, a close associate of Secretary Mellon, would do this but Reed is not to be a delegate. Hoover is negotiating now with a California friend to place him in nomination and an announcement is expected soon.

Congressman Johnson also brought back the report that Assistant Attorney General Donovan, of Buffalo, New York, is being considered by western friends of Hoover for vice-president. Hoover's friends here said that they had no choice. Donovan is a Catholic and some suggest him to offset the special appeal of Governor Smith. Some friends of Governor Smith are opposed to taking such a religious consideration into account in making up the ticket.

### FACES CHARGE

G. Gondola, charged with issuing fictitious checks, will be arraigned before Judge Alstrom this morning to answer the charge.

### RICHMOND BOY SCOUT DRIVE

Invest in better boyhood  
Mail to Scout Headquarters, 931 Macdonald Ave.

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### THREE KILLED, MANY WOUNDED IN NEW BATTLE

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, May 17.—Captain Robert S. Hunter of the United States Marines was wounded, one unnamed marine was killed and another wounded, and a Nicaraguan national guardman was slain, in a battle with Nicaraguan revolutionists near Pena Blanca, 45 miles northeast of Jinotega, about May 14, it was announced today.

The revolutionists are known to have lost five killed and five wounded. It was said other marines probably had been wounded. Medical supplies were dropped to Hunter's forces from airplane.

Hunter with a detachment of 25 marines and his guardsmen, was based a force of 75 men under command of John Leon Pink. The rebel forces had been located by airplane and Hunter's detachment attacked with his flying paratroopers.

The marine captain, provided in the dispatch, said that the rebels of Das had reported the advancing troops and the Nicaraguan prepared in ambush. The engagement began at long range and the marines pushed the attack which died.

Amphibious said he found a letter addressed to him at the mine threatening to kill all Americans who fell into the hands of the Sandinistas. The letter was signed by Sandino and bore a seal picturing Nicaragua under the heels of a United States Marine with a drawn sword.

The letter said that Sandino had become convinced that North Americans were in sympathy with the government's policy in Nicaragua, and if any of them fell into his hands "they will have reached their end."

### Police Now Keep Tab On Chief Cox

Chief of Police Dan Cox' fingerprints have been photographed and catalogued by Sergeant Ed. Jenkins, head of the identification bureau. In a moment of generosity the chief allowed his thumbprint to be taken, and Jenkins enlarged the photo, and in the center of the fingerprint he has cleverly imposed the chief's picture, framed in the tell-tale lines.

Now the chief is faced with the impossibility of putting his fingers or his thumbs on the source of any situation without it becoming common knowledge.

### McGrath Guilty Of Reckless Driving

After more than three hours deliberation, the jury hearing evidence at the trial of J. McGrath, of Richmond, charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated brought in a verdict of not guilty on the charge, but found the defendant guilty of careless and reckless driving. The jury received the case at 4 o'clock and brought in its verdict at 8:30 o'clock p. m.

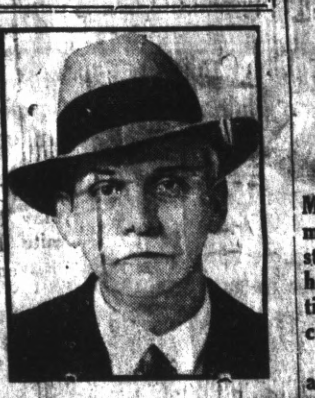
### SEEK LICENSE

A marriage license was applied for last week in Oakland by Miss Evelyn I. Heck, 20, of Richmond and Jessie Cabral, Jr., 21, of Berkeley.

### MASSONS HOLD SCHOOL

McKinley lodge of Masons held a school of instruction last night at its stated meeting in Masonic hall presided over by Senior Warden Harry Seaton.

### Wife-Slayer



CECILY CAMPBELL, former nurse in the aviation corps of the United States Army, is on trial in San Francisco charged with the murder of her husband in a suicide pact he feared to take his own life.

### San Quentin Inmate Wins New Hearing

SALINAS, Calif., May 17.—Evidence at the trial of Mrs. Grace G. Potter, internationally known, to determine if she should be released from San Quentin, was heard today.

Mrs. Potter was ordered here from San Quentin by Superior Judge Fred Treat. She had been serving a sentence in the prison for alleged swindling of a firm from which she purchased dresses.

### Kiddies Revue Will Be Held At School Tonight

Pupils of Miss Matilda Meyer, who will present a kiddies revue in Roosevelt auditorium tonight, held final rehearsals under her direction last night.

Among those starring for the evening will be Eleanor Brenson in the Waltz Clog and group numbers including the Varsity Drag; Bernice Newford, Grace Childs and Dorothy Heinemann, also dancing the Varsity Drag; Gladys Blount will be in the Russian dance and other numbers; Little Dorothy Shaw is the dancing doll in the opening number; Leonora Brougham is doing a classical dance, and will be in group number; The Hungarian toe dance by Grace Childs, the ballet toe dance by Dorothy Heinemann, also dancing Grace and Dorothy are leading "Together We Two" a song and dance number, also.

### Suit Over Lots Here Held Friendly Row

The suit of the Ellis Landing and Dock Company, against Miss Josephine Emanuel as executrix of the estate of her father, M. Emanuel to secure the transfer of 25 lots to the company is purely a friendly one.

The executrix, without an order of court, has no power to make the transfer, and the agreed suit was decided upon so that each step would be legal.

It might be stated that Miss Josephine Emanuel is also the secretary, and controlling factor in the land company.

### VISITS BROTHER

Miss May McCabe, nurse in charge of the hospital connected with the University of California farm of Davis, is visiting here with her brother, Charles P. McCabe and family of 208 South Twelfth street. Miss McCabe has a number of friends here.

### FOUR ESCAPE INJURIES IN TWO BLASTS

RICHMOND HILLS, N. Y., May 18.—Two powerful dynamite bombs, early today destroyed a great part of the house of Robert Elliot, executioner who put to death Sacco and Vanzetti.

The explosions came within a few seconds of each other, leaving away a large part of the two-story house. Elliot, his wife and three children were in bed, but escaped uninjured.

The bomb was placed on the front porch of the house and officials believe it was timed.

Elliot was official executioner for New York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania. He was executioner when Ruth Snyder and Harry John Gray paid the penalty at Sing Sing a few months ago.

### Delinquent Taxes Here \$80,005.70

Delinquency of \$81,005.70 in Contra Costa county taxes this year, an increase of \$10,000 over last year's delinquency, was reported by Tax Collector M. W. Joost.

With a total tax charge of \$3,304,999.18 Joost's office collected \$3,223,993.48. Collections during April amounted to \$909,876.53. One firm, the collector declared, is delinquent on a tax charge of \$10,000.

### Swim Awards Are Received

Emblems and pins for those who passed senior life saving tests during the recent Red Cross campaign have been received and may be secured from the chapter secretary, A. G. Papadakis at the Marathon candy store, 905 Macdonald avenue.

Emblems for the junior life saving tests and pins for advanced swimmers can be secured at Red Cross headquarters in the First National bank building between 10 a. m. and 1 p. m. Pins for the beginners have not as yet been received.

### LADIES OF BAPTIST CHURCH HOLD LUNCHEON

The ladies of the San Pablo Baptist church served a delightful luncheon at noon yesterday in the social hall of the church. The affair proved quite a success and the proceeds will go to the general church fund. The committee in charge was Mrs. George Deane, Mrs. George Cervantes and Mrs. L. Whisler.

### A SAVING SERVICE

Broken metal parts, practically all of them, are now successfully welded and made as strong and serviceable as new. Often welding saves not only the cost of a new part but the work of tearing down a machine and the loss of time which is often the greatest expense.

In the Buyers Guide on the classified page you will find a dependable firm which specializes in this saving service.



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### ON ADVERTISING

To say that it pays to advertise is merely repeating a truism. But occasionally we run across concrete examples and here is one of them:

The town of Rayne, in Louisiana, has a population of about 3000. In 1883 the Marvin-Kahn store was founded there. It started with one clerk but now it employs thirty and does an annual business of over \$500,000. And remember that the community numbers no more than 3000 souls.

In commenting on the success of the business the company manager recently said: "We have done a general merchandising business with drygoods as the bulk of business catering to the trade of ten parishes, and advertising in every paper in our section."

The meat of this statement is in the last few words. By advertising in the newspapers of the section and by giving the customers fair treatment and honest values this store has been able to grow, even in a small community. The same experience can be found in many other places. Everywhere it is the merchant who advertises that has the best and biggest store and the most business. The fellow who has so little confidence in his own business that he will not tell his neighbors about it, just naturally withers up in a business sense and the fault is generally his own.

Advertising not only informs the people of the community that the advertising merchant has the goods but creates a demand for the goods where there has been none before. Take your own case for instance. How often have you been induced to stop in a store and buy a certain article that you wanted but would not have remembered to buy had you not noticed the ad in the newspaper? The age of isolation in business is past and the fellow who wants to progress must keep on his toes and stay abreast of the times. One way to do this is to advertise your business in the local papers.

They say that England is more law-abiding than the United States, but after reading a bunch of English detective stories we are almost convinced that Scotland Yard has a new murder mystery to work out every ten minutes and that the British peerage must be almost wiped out by now.

Those babbling pacifists who seem to think that the way to keep out of war is to scuttle the navy ought to take a long look at China. The poor Chinese never did have a navy and they always have had plenty of war—in fact nothing else but.

The New York Stock Exchange closed for three days on a recent holiday to give the tired brokers a rest. But there is no rest for the customers who get on the wrong side of the market.

Why this tremendous fuss because a Texas horned toad went without food for 35 years? Hundreds of Wisconsin democrats have had to support themselves for 33 years—Milwaukee Journal.

## BROKE UP ILLINOIS RING IN BATTLE FOR CLEAN POLITICS

Rodney H. Brandon, internationally known authority on child welfare, executive secretary of the Loyal Order of Moose and builder of Mooseheart, is the man who broke the backbone of the Small-Thompson-Crowe political machine in Chicago and Illinois in one of the greatest battles ever waged for clean politics. His generalship was for Louis L. Emerson by an unprecedented plurality the Republican nomination for governor over Len Small. He defeated one of the most formidable political rings in history as an exponent of the higher ideals in politics and without the assistance of any "slush fund."

Mr. Brandon has been heard in practically every city in the country on child welfare and crime prevention. In 1926 he was sent to Europe by the United States Government as an investigator on child welfare, and in 1927 was the American delegate to the Child Welfare Congress at Havana.

With the firm conviction that the people of Illinois wanted to be freed from the political machine which had brought Chicago and the state into disrepute locally and nationally, he waged a campaign that has attracted national attention. Already Mr. Brandon is spoken of as a possible chairman of the National Republican committee to manage the coming presidential campaign and in some quarters it is suggested



Rodney H. Brandon  
that his name may come before the national convention as a vice-presidential candidate.

## Affairs of the Heart and Your Marriage Problems

Patricia Lee answers questions relating to problems of married life. Names and addresses should be added to letters as a mark of good faith but will not be published. Readers who desire private answers should enclose a stamped self-addressed envelope and 10 cents for each letter. Because of space limitations it is not possible to print answers to all letters received, and readers who wish an early reply should take advantage of this special service. On account of the large quantity of mail coming to this department, about ten days should be allowed for a reply. Write to Patricia Lee, care of this paper.

Dear Patricia Lee—

I am a young lady 28 years of age and have been keeping steady company with a young man two years my senior. He has now asked me to be his wife and I hesitate in giving my answer due to the fact that he is so much younger than I am. He is a wonderful fellow, holds a very good position and is not only good to me, but to my mother. In fact, there is not a fault to find regarding his character or disposition. But I always feel embarrassed when introducing him to friends or going to dances. I feel out of place when in public with him. Now Miss Lee, please tell me if you think this would be a barrier to our happiness. I am not a "Queen of Sheba" myself, but am considered a good dresser, and am not so bad looking, Anne.

Dear Anne—

Yes, I think it will be a barrier to happiness if you persist in your present attitude. Probably you will find other barriers to happiness too, in the way he combs his hair, or the color of his neckties. If it were some fault the young man could correct or overcome, your point of view would be reasonable. But when he cannot help it, and when his other qualities have proved to be endearing, although you were prejudiced against him, then I think you ought to criticize yourself severely. Are you playing fair to the man when you marry him and feel that you are conferring a great favor in doing so? No! If you can't be proud of him and your love, instead of "feeling embarrassed" when you introduce him then don't marry him. Your love is a weak thing that cannot survive even the most superficial test.



LADY DUSK  
The Sandman

Nothing at all seemed to have been touched by the ghost or the man who had been inside Grady Benson's house, except the music room. This the youngsters discovered after they had made their tour of inspection of all the rooms and had found the old homestead just as it had been before grandfather had closed it up and had given the children the key.

But there in the music room, as they had seen through the window the old square piano was open. Layers and layers of dust had gathered on granny's songbook and on the ivory keys.

It was Joe who finally had courage enough to go into the dusty corner where Grandfather Benson had put it away and had sworn that no one would ever touch it, so long as granny was not there to play with him.

The case was there, but the lid itself was gone. "Girls, Twin, twinkle, come here," Joe cried. "Some one has stolen the violin!" But by this time Twin and Twinnie had discovered that the violin itself was lying at the back of the piano, where Grandfather Benson used to leave it after he and Granny had been playing their favorite songs.



CUTEST THING  
BABY  
EVER  
SAID

A don't-to-beat-the-water-bench suit for the tiny miss of two is six, consists of a white mesh panel top joined to navy blue trunk with a white belt. There are blue suspenders to match the trunks.

Mrs. Brown took her little girl to the circus. She kept asking so many questions that mother lost her temper and said: "Baby, as long as you live I will never take you any place." But mother, will you take me if I quit living?

### Vigorous Health

CHOOSING YOUR DOCTOR  
There seems to be considerable misunderstanding of the title of doctor. It has come to be almost synonymous with the title of physician, which is very misleading. Doctor means one qualified to teach the subject in which he has obtained the degree of doctor. Physician means one who gives physical, physical being generally understood to include all kinds of medicine. Some physicians are real doctors, but most of them are not. There are all kinds of doctors even in the healing profession, as doctors of medicine, osteopathy, chiropractic, naturopathy, etc.

The question is which doctor should one choose? The chief point to remember is that one must choose a doctor who will teach you the most about how to keep well. Your choice of doctors may be rather limited since the medical profession is so large that it can't have laws passed to put other doctors of the healing art out of business, but even among a limited choice there will be some who are better than others. If when you consult a doctor, he inquires as to your habits of living and is more interested in telling you how to correct them than in giving you "crutches" of some kind, you will find that you can generally depend upon him.

There seems to be considerable misunderstanding as to the proper method of breathing and I would like to set your opinion straight. The proper method of breathing is the natural method, that is, first blow out all the air you can, then inhale completely. When you exhale, the air goes out in a tendency to take a normal deep breath, filling the lungs from the bottom to the top. It is not necessary to completely fill the lungs at each breath, but all parts of the lungs should be distended to some extent. There is nothing mysterious about breathing and the proper method can soon be acquired.

DO YOU KNOW  
Newest of the new are the colored crystal chokers. It is one's choice to wear a costume of the new crystal chokers come in shimmering tones of green, orange, yellow, blue, or red, or of two colors combined.

Among the latest hats designed for summer are the "Hoodies," a pattern of imported ribbons. Fashion's newest footnotes for you are the lightest socks. Colors of leading universities are utilized on both sides.

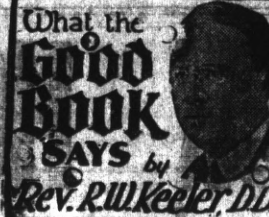
### What Do You Know?

1. Who claimed: "Character is the basis of credit?"
2. Can your home be searched legally without a warrant?
3. What, or who, were the Samurais?
4. Why is the city 'Camelot' famous?
5. What does one call the draft that is payable whenever presented?
6. Who is secretary to President Coolidge?

### How To Earn Money!

I have an establishment dress-making and hemstitching business of fifteen years standing, but would like to sell it as I am thinking of retiring. Would you please advise me as to the best way to go about it?—MRS. C. M. I believe that one of the best ways would be to get in touch with some of the large dress shops. They might be looking for just such a store in order to open a branch in your town. I'd suggest that you send them personal letters, describing your trade and the advantages of your store. Mrs. Brown's place will answer all questions on "How To Earn Money at Home." Address her care of this paper.

The Vogue for lace is smartly expressed in a very chic ensemble of chiffon and lace. The short blouse-jacket is made of lace and the skirt and jacket are trimmed with harmonizing chiffon.



What the Good Book Says by Rev. R.W. Keeler, D.D.

Q. Does flattery ever do good?—G. F. V. Youkers, N. Y.  
A. "A lying tongue hath those that are afflicted by it and a flattering mouth worketh ruin."—Proverbs XXVI:28.  
Q. Why did the Psalmist love God's Word?—K. F. L. Mount Kisco, N. Y.  
A. "They word is very pure; therefore Thy servants loveth it."—Psalm CXIX:140.  
Q. Who carried two hundred loaves of bread on two asses?—H. B. M. Pittsburgh, Pa.  
A. "When David was a little pal the top of the hill, behold, Ziba, the servant of Mephibosheth met him, with a couple of asses, saddled and upon them two hundred loaves of bread and an hundred bunches of raisins, and an hundred of summer fruits, and a bottle of wine."—II Samuel XVII:32.

Q. Who was the power behind Ender!—J. M. R. Williamstown, Mass.  
A. "Ender had not yet showed her kindred nor her peoples; for Mordred had charged her; for Mordred did the commandment of Mordred, like as when she brought up with him."—Ender III:20.  
Q. When do men usually seek God?—T. J. W. Dover, Del.  
A. "And when he (Manasseh) was in affliction he besought the Lord his God, and humbled himself greatly before God of his fathers."—II Chronicles XXXIII:12.

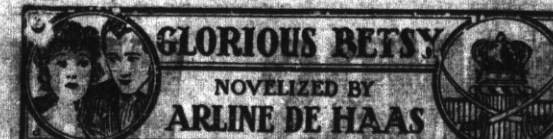
New sportswear includes the skirt with appended bow pleats, also the model with wide, box pleats that are stitched part way.

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GLORIOUS BETSY  
NOVELIZED BY  
ARLINE DE HAAS

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"GLORIOUS BETSY," starring Dolores Costello, is a Warner Bros. picture production of this novel. Based on the play by Rida Johnson Young.

SYNOPSIS  
The bewitching Betsy Patterson has been staying with her father at Sweet Springs Inn when they are called home to Baltimore to enter into the service of the brother of Napoleon. While at the inn she is secretly attracted to her French tutor, whom she knows as La Verre. French officers, however, who visit him, address him deferentially as Captain Bonaparte. When La Verre declines to accompany Betsy to Baltimore she is placed under the care of her father's friend, Major Patterson. But Betsy is unhappy because she has had no word from La Verre. She plans to get even with him by flirting with Bonaparte.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued  
"And I, in my cream satin that shows my figure something scandalous, will come walking down the steps, at just the dramatic moment, and I will court him like this," Betsy made a deep curtsy, and when I look up and our eyes meet, he will say, 'Mon Dieu, or something like that. And then he'll ask my father for my hand, and I'll go to France!'"  
"Oh, Betsy," Mary breathed, her eyes shining as her cousin enacted the scene with dramatic intensity. "And Napoleon will make him a King, or something. Betsy hurried on, and Monsieur La Verre, she said, would come to me for my commands, and then we'll see how I shall queen it over him in Baltimore. Never to call on him."

No, father, I hate him! Betsy stamped her foot. "I'm really much to Mary's consternation. "Thank God! So did I," Patterson breathed, relieved. "But Betsy, now that that's settled, admit you better go, and dress. The guests will be here at any moment." "Yes, papa," Betsy nodded. "I'm going right away." She stooped and swiftly gathered up the scraps of paper at her feet. "Here, let Betsy do that," she called, looking in wonderment on the sudden order. "I had taken possession of his daughter's diary. That's all right, papa. Betsy clutched the scraps in her hand. "I'll throw them away. Will you come and help me, Mary?" Betsy turned to her sister. "I'll only be a few minutes. I just have to put on my dress."

Yes, I know your few minutes when it's a matter of clothes, young lady," her father nodded. "You run along, and don't stand chattering all night, you two," he called after the departing figures of his daughter and his niece.

CHAPTER IX  
The great double doors, with the huge brass knockers were thrown wide. The little breeze fanned the candles and made the flames waver ever so slightly, as though they were being blown by the presence of the evening. "Where are they?" Betsy called to the door. "I've been waiting for you," the voice of Major Patterson called back and forth along the hallway, assisting the guests to alight. The shining silver punch bowl was filled and drew the very attention of the guests. "That's a lovely voice," Betsy called to the doorway. "The voice of Major Patterson, interpreted by the perfectly delicate tones of Miss Bonaparte, is just what I need."

Ephraim and his shadow, Pippin, concluded their business of lighting the lamps on the veranda and looked through the windows at the gayly dressed throng. "Pippin," Ephraim whispered to his companion, "who is this man who is getting ready to go to France?" "That's the brother of the King of France, his name is Bonaparte," Pippin looked scornfully at Eph. "I know all de quality folk in Ma'land and Vichary. I never heard of Paris nobles. I reckon dat some pore white trash No'thern place." Eph shook his head, and said, "Look! Dat Miss Mary! She interrupted, pushing her way to the veranda. "Ain't she beautiful?" "Oh, dar her beauty, dar her beauty. I never seen a more beautiful girl in my life. I'm a man, I tell you! Oh, look! dat dar sister, Miss Betsy! She's a beauty!" "Dat who am, sho' madder! Eph exclaimed, his eyes shining with excitement. "Miss Betsy, look! Look! Oh, she's beautiful! Dar she is! Dar she is!" A sudden silence fell. A hurried patter of feet and a clatter of heels to the stairway, raised loudly at the sound of the stairs, her hand on the railing stood Betsy Patterson. The gorgeous red hat was tilted high in a pretentious of elegance, the star-shaped ornaments arranged with studied carelessness, falling about her face. Two rows of pale, gleaming pearls were twisted about her head, lost now here now there in the confusion. From the shell-like curls long strands of pearls swung back and forth.

(To be continued)









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SOMETHING ALWAYS HAPPENS

## SCREEN STAR EMERGES FROM RANK OF EXTRA

The success of Joan Crawford on the motion picture screen reads like a modernized version of Cinderella.

Joan, who is playing the title role of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's screen version of the famous musical play, "Rose-Marie," which is now being shown at the California Theatre, spent almost a year at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio, where she was under contract before she was entrusted with a screen role.

Other girls who had been placed under contract at the same time were entrusted with principal roles, played them and left at the expiration of their contracts.

But Joan was getting screen experience and presence without knowing it. She didn't have the least idea she was under the eyes of the front office, which was planning a great career for her.

Just when her fortune was at its lowest ebb, so she thought, she was given a lead role in "Sally, Irene and Mary." Joan played it with all the enthusiasm in her. That role proved that she was an actress, and since then featured roles have been piling up for her just as fast as she can finish one picture and start another one.

"Rose-Marie," which was produced by Lucien Hubbard, is portrayed by a remarkable cast, including James Murray, House Peters, Gibson Gowland, Follie Moran, Lionel Belmore, William Orland, Creighton Hale, George Cooper, Gertrude Astor, Ralph Yarney and a dozen others almost equally as well known to picturegoers.

Other film features include, "Fandango," "Ko Ko's Clock" and news.

## BRITISH SEEK INCREASE IN FISH BUSINESS

LONDON, May 17.—Attempts are to be made almost immediately to see if the British fishing industry can be rescued from the slough, or, indeed, into which it has fallen, and which was referred to in the House of Commons recently.

The Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries have chartered two specially fitted vessels which will be sent, explorative experiments this month, to see if it is possible to get fish to the home markets from long distances in better condition.

One of the chief sources of loss to the industry and at the same time one of the chief causes of high prices is the difficulty of keeping fish caught a long way off in good state of preservation, and it is in this direction that the Ministry's experts will pursue their experiments.

The quantity of fish suitable for the shops is really small compared with the amount caught.

Wide Investigation

The Ministry's ships will explore the whole method of handling, storing and conveying the catches, and the work will go on from May through the summer because it is in the hot weather that the greatest difficulty is experienced.

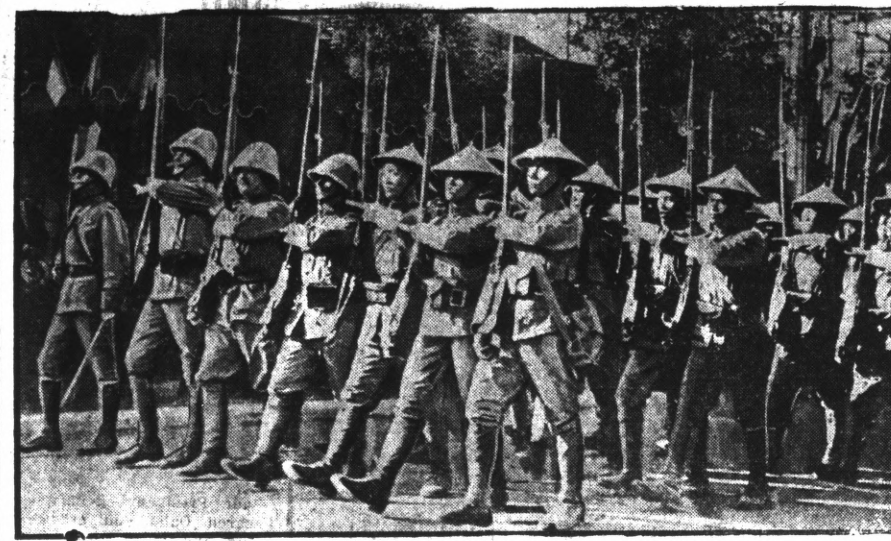
One vessel will be stationed on Milford Haven and the other on Aberdeen. From both these ports long distance fishing voyages are made, and the rail journeys after the catches are landed are long too.

The experiment ships will carry refrigerating plant, but the fish will not be frozen. They may be chilled in the same way that Argentine beef is chilled.

The utmost importance is attached to the result of these experiments and if they result in the discovery of some satisfactory way of handling the catches the benefits to the fishing industry will be enormous.

It may also be that no fishing banks will be searched for. It has been suggested that naval vessels might search a district, where experts fancy new banks may exist, and that a commercial vessel should afterwards explore the newly found banks in order to determine their fishing possibilities.

## Troops Protect Neutrals



DETACHMENT of native troops from French Indo-China, who for some time have been stationed in China, have been dispatched to the Shanghai Province in order to protect French property and French people from the attacks of Gen. Kai-Shek and his Southern Nationalist army, which besieged Tsinanfa. The above soldiers are included in the detachment.

## "Rose Marie"

House Peters and Joan Crawford in a scene from "ROSE-MARIE," now being screened at the California Theatre.



## ANSWERS

WHAT DO YOU KNOW  
(On Editorial Page)

1. J. E. Morgan, Sr.
2. No.
3. A Japanese order of knights.
4. It was the legendary city where King Arthur's Court was held.
5. Sight draft.
6. Everett Sanders.

## School nurse says all girls should know this



TALKING to a roomful of high school girls on personal hygiene, an experienced district nurse said: "One of the basic rules of health for girls is to keep the system functioning naturally at all times. Normal exercise and diet habits should be encouraged. But when necessary there's no harm in taking nujol, since it works mechanically and can't disturb the normal functions of any organ of the body. Particularly with girls, there are times when nujol should always be taken. Take a spoonful every night for a few days. It's a thoroughly safe and harmless method. It won't cause distress or gas pains or griping."

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## Radio News

KYA—San Francisco  
300 Meters

- 8 to 9 a. m.—The KYA Morning Glories.
- 9 to 10 p. m.—Studio program.
- 10 to 10:45 a. m.—Musical program.
- 10:45 to 11 a. m.—Studio program.
- 11 to noon—"The California Sunshine Hour."
- 12 to 12:15 p. m.—Latest news bulletins.
- 2 to 2 p. m.—Studio program.
- 5:30 to 6 p. m.—Studio program.
- 6 to 6:15 p. m.—News and baseball results.
- 6:15 to 7 p. m.—Golden Gate Cryer.
- 7 to 7:55 p. m.—Alvin Hanson.
- 7:55 to 8 p. m.—Studio program.
- 8 to 9 p. m.—Mission Council No. 2, Y. M. I. 45th Anniversary program.
- 9 to 10 p. m.—Program presented by the Metro trio.
- 10 to 11 p. m.—Orchestra.

KGO—361 Meters  
General Electric, Oakland

- 11:10 to 11:30 a. m.—Talk on home economics.
- 11:30 to 1 p. m.—Luncheon concert by the Rembrandt Trio.
- 1 p. m.—Weather and stocks.
- 4:30 to 5:30 p. m.—Edward Fitzpatrick's concert orchestra.
- 5:30 p. m.—Children's program.
- 6:20 p. m.—News and Baseball.
- 6:25 p. m.—Weekly financial news.
- 6:30 to 7 p. m.—Modesto Junior Union College Women's Glee club.
- 7 to 9 p. m.—Pacific network.
- 9 to 10 p. m.—Hawaiian nights.
- 10 to 11 p. m.—Concert.

KPO—423 Meters  
Hale Bros. Chronicle, S. F.

- 6:45 to 7:15 a. m.—Health drill.
- 8 to 9 a. m.—Happy hour.
- 9:30 to 10 p. m.—Dobbsies daily chat.
- 10:30 to 10:45 a. m.—Towne Cryer.
- 11:30 to noon—Hawaiian orchestra.
- 12 noon—Time signals. Scripture reading and weather forecast.
- 12:45 p. m.—Address from the Commonwealth Club luncheon at the Palace Hotel.
- 1:30 to 2 p. m.—Instrumental Trio.
- 2:45 p. m.—Baseball, Recreation Park.
- 4:30 to 5 p. m.—Towne Cryer.
- 5 to 6 p. m.—Children's hour.
- 6 to 7 p. m.—Dinner hour program.
- 7 to 8 p. m.—Studio program.
- 8 to 9 p. m.—Pacific network.
- 9 to 10 p. m.—Hawaiian orchestra.
- 10 to midnight—Dance music.

KJBS—230 Meters  
San Francisco

- 8 to 9 p. m.—Record program.
- 9 to 10 p. m.—Popular selections.

## LUPINO LANE AND BROTHER COMEDY TEAM

It's brother against brother in every comedy Lupino Lane makes. The former Follies headliner and star of numerous stage productions in New York, London and Hollywood, and who will be seen in his latest laughmaker "Fandango" at the California Theatre today, has the same villain in all of his comedies and he is always his own brother, Wallace Lupino.

The brothers have been together on the stage practically since birth and have grown so accustomed to each others work, that they form one of the best teams in short comedies. Lupino's acrobatic work, much of which depends on the actor playing with him, would be nearly impossible without the aid of one as experienced in his timing as his brother.

Though dissimilarity of names of the two brothers is due to a peculiar will made by Lupino Lane's aunt, Sarah Lane, a noted British actress. She was the last of the Lanes, and in order that the name be perpetuated, she persuaded Lupino's parents to give the infant, Lupino, the surname of Lane, promising to make him her heir if this was done. His father, the elder Lupino, insisted that "Lupino" be made part of the child's name. As a result, the name, "Lupino Lane" was formed. Wallace Lupino is the younger brother.

One way to put money into circulation is to take it to the race track.

KGTT—307 Meters  
San Francisco

- 12:30 to 1 p. m.—Scripture reading.
- 1 to 2 p. m.—Studio program.
- 8 to 10 p. m.—Church service.

## BARBARA KENT WAS STAR IN FIRST SHOW

Barbara Kent is one of the few leading screen actresses who did not graduate from the extra ranks—in fact, she never played an extra role in her life.

The Cinderella-like rise of Miss Kent, who is co-starring with Raymond Keane in the Universal production, "The Lone Eagle" coming to the Richmond Theatre tonight is one of the many miracles enacted in the Magic City of Hollywood.

Barbara moved to Hollywood with her parents less than two years ago. Her first act was to step out and win a beauty contest, which in itself is no mean feat.

A few weeks later, she was introduced to Paul Kohner, at that time casting director at Universal in France during the world war. Kohner immediately saw her screen possibilities and persuaded her to have a screen test taken. The screen test justified Kohner's prediction and she was immediately signed to a long term contract.

In addition to Barbara and Keane, the cast of "The Lone Eagle," which was directed by Emory Johnson, includes Nigel Barrie, Jack Pennick, Don Stuart and Cuyler Supple.

The picture was adapted from the novel "Winged Victory," by Lieutenant Ralph Blanchard, who was with the U. S. Flying corps in France during the world war. Mrs. Emilie Johnson wrote the adaptation.

Other film features include "Heroes of the Wild" and Snapshots.

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## The highways of buying

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Why not follow the same rule in your shopping? Why not stick to the "highways of buying?" They have been just as carefully plotted, and are just as carefully marked as the great motor roads you've come to depend upon. Marked by the trademarks of reliable, advertised products.

The next time you go shopping, follow the "highways." Before you start, look through the advertisements in the Record-Herald. Pick out the products you want. Notice the names and trade marks that identify them. And then ask for them by name.

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## Movie Director Pelads Innocence Of Kidnap Plaint

LOS ANGELES, May 17.—John A. Nelson, former motion picture director, accused of branding an obscene word on the body of Jean Weston, 22-year-old film extra, pleaded not guilty when arraigned today on charges of kidnaping and

attack. His trial was set for May 20.

Nelson, charged with having branded a word on the body of the girl with a pen knife, was arrested last night and released under \$10,000 bail.

The girl, together with her father, a Los Angeles jeweler, appeared before the grand jury yesterday and told a weird story of having been held prisoner in Nelson's North Hollywood cabin for more than twenty-four hours, in which time the branding took place. An indictment was quickly voted.

Nelson admitted the branding, and she suggested the branding and dared me to do it," Nelson said.

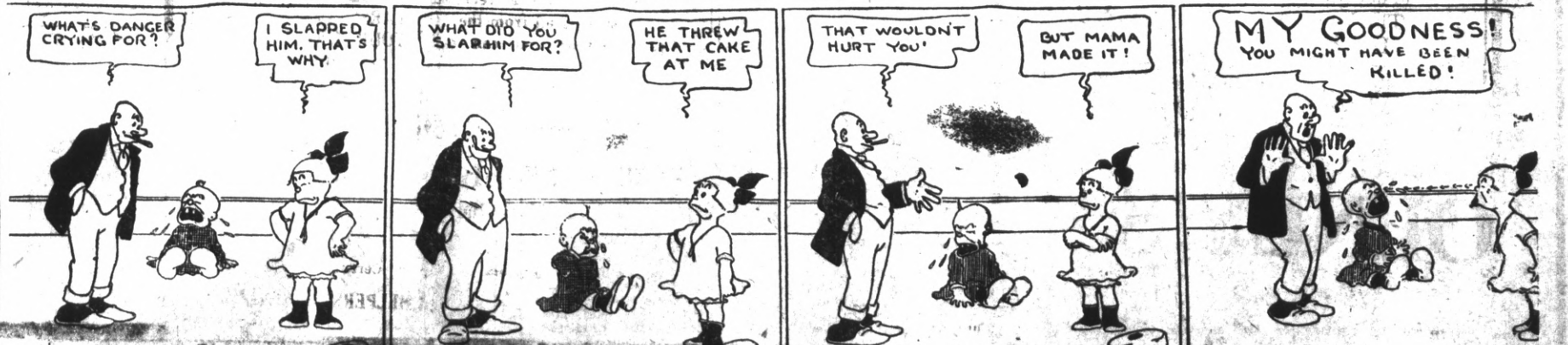
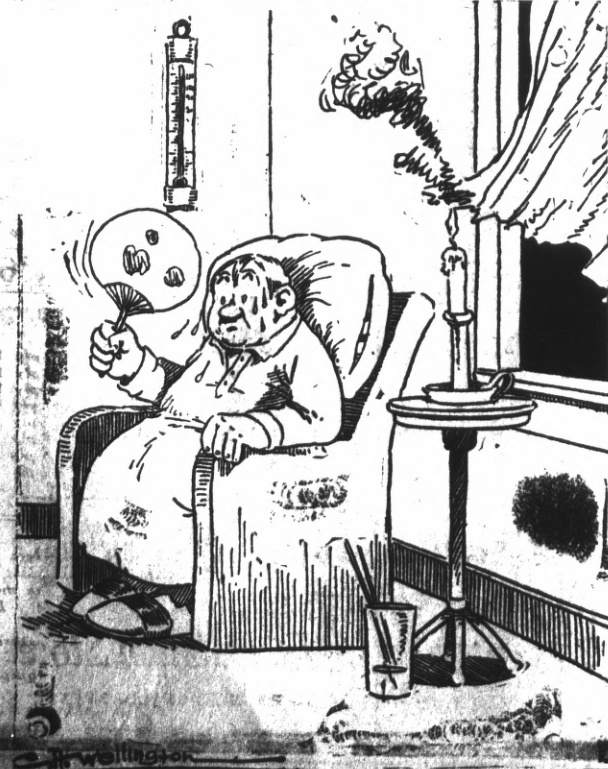
"I never suggested it. Wouldn't I be foolish to do that?" retorted Miss Weston.

Miss Weston told the grand jury she had known Nelson for more than two years. They separated recently she said, when she announced her intention of marrying another man.

Miss Weston said Nelson informed her he would make it impossible for her to marry another man. Nelson slapped her, strapped her to a bed and branded her with a five-letter word, she charged.

Nelson asserted the girl at first refused to take legal action against him.

AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME





## STATE PUPILS LEAD NATION IN SAVING

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—California ranks first in the number of schools participating in school savings, according to a statement issued by Will C. Wood, State Superintendent of Banks. The state ranks fourth in the number of students who are saving under this plan, and fourth in the amount of net savings resulting. Considering that we rank sixth in population, this shows an interesting development.

"In spite of the excellent comparative position of our state with others in this regard, there is a much greater development of school savings possible," says an authority. "We have in this state at the present time approximately 5500 grade and high schools, and only 2223, or one-half, are participating in the advantages of school savings. The total enrollment in our grade and high schools is in the neighborhood of 1,144,000 and only 526,232 of this number, or half, have the facilities of school savings at their disposal. Of the number to whom such facilities are available, only 283,476 participate. It would seem that this percentage of participants is much too low.

"Those children who actually save under the school savings plan, constitute, therefore, about 25 per cent of all children attending school in California. What about the other 75 per cent? I sincerely believe that this is a responsibility of both our bankers and teachers.

"The bank balance of our school children at the end of the last fiscal year was \$4,548,129, which represented an average school account of \$2045; the average student account was \$16.04. Had every school child participated in the school savings plan at this rate the amazing total of \$18,000,000 would have reached the school savings plan. It should be the goal of bankers and teachers working together to see that the full possibilities of developing that in our school children are realized within the next few years.

### MISSIONARY WOMEN TO HEAR SPEAKER

The Women's Home Mission Society of the Wesleyan Methodist church will meet in the parlors of the church at 10 o'clock this afternoon. The special guest and speaker of the afternoon will be Miss E. E. Platt.

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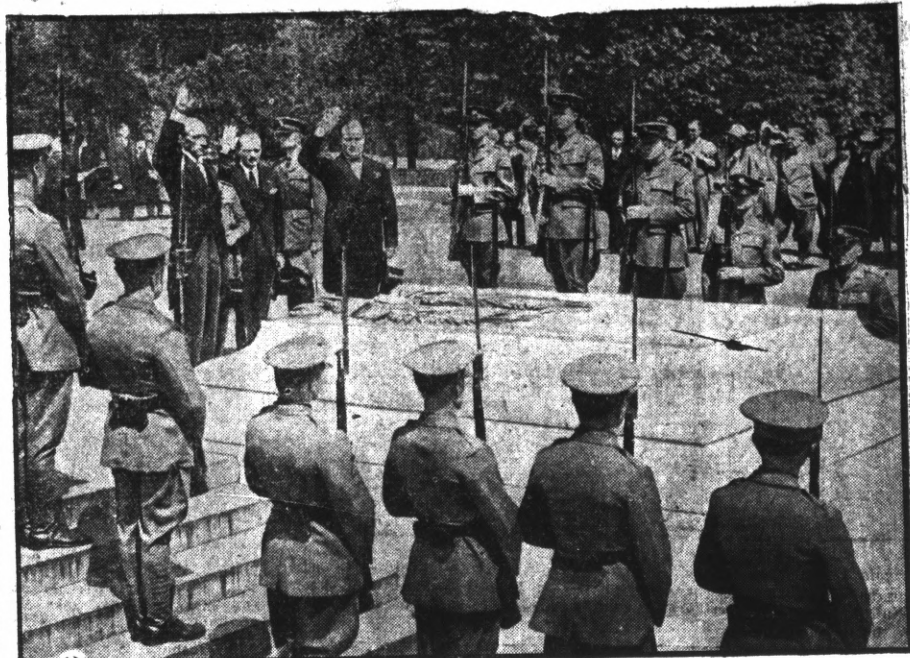
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## Fascist Salute U. S. Dead



FASCIST SALUTE IN HONOR OF AMERICAN WAR DEAD! Prince Potenziani, governor of Rome, visited the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington Cemetery to pay tribute to America's nameless hero. After placing a wreath on the tomb, the prince raised his hand in the Fascist salute. Above (left to right) are the prince, Count Stelluti and Enzo Cassini.

## VALIDITY OF WILL ATTACKED AS EFFORT TO FIND DESCENDANTS OF QUEEN VICTORIA IS FAILURE

LONDON, May 17.—On the assumption that it was almost impossible to trace all the descendants of Queen Victoria, the validity of a clause in the will of the late Queen Victoria was questioned before Mr. Justice Astbury in the Chancery Division here.

The clause created a trust to continue until the death of the last of Queen Victoria's descendants. For the Public Trustee, it was contended that since the war the clause had become void. The descendants included members of the Russian Royal Family whose fate could not now be definitely ascertained, and members of the German Royal Family who might have been killed because of their comparative obscurity.

Mr. Justice Astbury said he should think the German Royal Family would be rather astonished if you told them that they were not well known. It seems extraordinary to suggest that Queen Victoria's descendants have become an unascertainable crowd. Sir Thomas Hughes, who represented the testator's married daughter, said that as the trust was to continue for 20 years after the death of the last descendant, the expectation of those entitled to the residue might be deferred until 2028.

In 1922 the living descendants of Queen Victoria numbered about 120, and they were scattered all over the world. It would be almost impossible to ascertain who was the last survivor of Queen Victoria's descendants, and the result would be that the trust would go on forever.

Mr. Justice Astbury said he had

the gravest doubt as to the validity of the will, and if he could see his way to hold that the trust gift so restricted was invalid he would do so; but there was no authority which enabled him to come to that decision. The difficulty of tracing all Queen Victoria's descendants was not sufficient to make the gift bad.

"I hope," he declared, "that somebody will take this case to a higher court, and that my decision will be reversed."

"Another Dickens relic in London is to be pulled down to make way for the arch of commerce. It is the famous George and Vulture tavern in Castle Court, Birch Lane, which lies in the busy quarter between Cornhill and Lombard street.

The old inn is one of the few places in the City of London where an old fashioned man can have a chop cooked on an old-fashioned open fire. Customers of the house have for years sat on the same high-backed benches to eat their sizzling chops and drink their old port.

There is a room, filled with Dickensian pictures, where the great novelist sometimes slept. It was from the George and Vulture that Mr. Pickwick sent Sam Weller to Goswell Street to collect his "odds and ends" and to pay the rent to Mrs. Bardell, and Mr. Pickwick started from there on his journey to Dingley Dell, where the genial Mr. Wardle's welcome awaited him.

Birch's eating house in Cornhill was removed elsewhere to make room for a bank, and now the George Vulture is to be destroyed for the same reason. But before the new bank is erected premises adjoining the George and Vulture will also have to be secured, and until this is done the famous tavern will continue.

The Duchess of York is developing as keen an interest in house decorations and furniture as the Queen.

While staying with the Duke and Duchess of Richmond at Goodwood House she was greatly struck by the beautiful and ancient treasures there.

She was particularly pleased, too, with her room, which was decorated in shades of rose color and was fragrant with the scent of violets and mignonette which the Duchess of Richmond had placed there herself, from the Goodwood gardens.

The Duchess's visit was almost entirely free from ceremony of any kind. Representatives of more than four thousand women's clubs in the country will invade London on the occasion of the Women's Institutes' first drama festival, to be held in King George's Hall, on May 22 and 23. Four short plays are to be produced on the first evening and "The Taming of the Shrew" on the second. The affair is an exhibition of the prowess which these village players have attained in the past four years. The companies have been chosen by itinerant judges of the National Federation of Women's Institutes from all the hundreds of village drama societies connected with the institutes.

## Heart Disease On Increase In Many Countries

(By Universal Service)

LONDON, May 17.—Dr. J. Strickland Goodhall, lecturing on the growth of heart disease, at the Institute of Hygiene in London, declared the increase was not confined to this country, but also occurred in the United States and Canada. Other points from his lecture were:

Rheumatic fever cannot be the main cause of the increase in heart disease; it is less virulent than it was.

Heart disease is almost entirely due to arterio-sclerosis (thickening of the walls of the arteries) which is increasing, but is materializing at a far younger period of life.

A few years ago the age of sudden death was between 50 and 60. Analysis of recent cases shows that the age is becoming much less.

Arterio-sclerosis, transmitted through successive generations, is caused by increased intra-vascular strain due to hard physical work, mental strain, and emotion.

Professional men are especially liable to mental strain and emotional disturbances in their work, and these account for the development of heart disease to which such a large number of medical men, stockbrokers and actors and others succumb.

The forms in which we take our pleasures is an inversion of Nature's demands for adequate rest. Night clubs, the cocktail habit, and excessive smoking cannot be too strongly condemned.

Dr. Goodhall said nothing raised blood pressure to the same extent as emotion, and added: "Look at the lives we lead. We are always on the rush, always escaping for our lives; we can't even cross the road in peace. The whole of modern life cuts up rest and tends to increase emotion and emotion increases intra-vascular strain. I cannot help thinking it is very largely due to all this that there is this tremendous increase of heart disease."

What a splendid thing it would be of all who lost their tempers were unable to find them again.

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## PLANES, SHIPS AND FORTS IN MIMIC FIGHT

Aboard the U. S. S. Arizona With the Battle Fleet  
By WILLARD JESSUP

Honolulu was "captured" by the United States battle fleet today when sailors on 100 vessels of war decisively defeated United States soldiers stationed on the island of Oahu. The battle was so spectacular that it needed only a little imagination to make it appear an actual battle except for the absence of dead and wounded. Before daybreak the fleet left Lahaina, Maui, on the sortie which was the second major maneuver of the Hawaiian cruise.

The vessels encountered the liner President Madison as they neared Oahu and ordered it to stop and await the end of the maneuver. Destroyers circled the liner and set up a smoke screen about it that prevented the passengers from witnessing the important "battle." As soon as the fleet was off Diamond Head, it began firing mythical shells at the forts of the island.

Airplanes took off from their carriers and at one time approximately 100 observation and bombing planes were circling overhead working out problems of warfare. Planes also took part in the attempt to "defend" the island, taking off from Wheeler field. Numerous "duels" were fought by the aviators.

The shan battle was over as quickly as it had started. The armistice was extremely simple because officers of both sides knew when they were supposed to stop. Ships of the battle fleet were also victorious in the battle in which they engaged after leaving San Francisco. They brought a convoy of supplies and auxiliary vessels to Honolulu without being sighted by the "enemy" which was a group of cruisers and submarines.

## Science Shows Folly Of Racial Marriage By Test

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 17.—Even the lowly turnip proves the folly of intermarriage of races. That was the assertion here of Prof. F. A. Boring, of the Department of Agriculture in the University of British Columbia.

The professor has been studying turnip fields for many years. And among other things he has learned that crossing types is a biological mistake.

"In my study of more than 6000 cases of crossing turnips, I have failed to find one normal descendant," he said. "That principle, I believe, applies to human as well as agricultural intermarriage. Such crossing leads to inferiority of development, physically and morally, among humans as it does in the former respect in the vegetables."

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## Princess Divorces



BECAUSE SHE did not obey her husband, Prince Soud Chakir of Turkey divorced Princess Soud (above), who formerly was Sidi Wirt Spreckels of California.

## Luncheon Served By Mothers Of Lincoln P. T. A.

A luncheon was served yesterday to the teachers of the Lincoln school P. T. A. by the mothers of the organization, after which installation of officers was held. Those installed were Mrs. A. A. Alexander, president; Mrs. A. G. Schimpf, vice-president; Mrs. P. Johnson, financial secretary; Mrs. Peter Brown, treasurer; Mrs. F. Beach, auditor; Mrs. F. Cooper, historian; and Mrs. W. P. Drumme, parliamentarian.

RAGS WANTED

The organization is planning to have a home visit party to which the public is invited. It will take place at the home of Mrs. J. Pedrotti, 722 Channing avenue in the near future.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE ATTENDS PLAY

The Epworth League of the Wesleyan Methodist church, attended a play given by the Epworth league players, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Williams, Mrs. H. L. Whalen and Mrs. Nina Moody were the chaperones of the evening.

## CREWS BEGIN WORK ON SANTA FE SPUR TRACK

Crews of men yesterday commenced work of laying the Santa Fe's spur track to the west side of the inner harbor, under the direction of W. R. Groshel, roadmaster, and F. D. Kinzie, division engineer. Grading crews are preparing the right-of-way along the south side of Cutting boulevard.

The track will lay from the present inner harbor spur to the Duncan-Harrelson plant in Cutting boulevard, thence south across the Minter properties to the San Francisco Bridge company property.

The cost of the work is estimated at \$50,000. While the usual cost is \$15,000 a mile, it was stated by W. B. Trull, Richmond terminal agent, that the stretch between the Duncan-Harrelson plant and the San Francisco Bridge company land will exceed the average cost due to necessary fill and trestle.

Trull declared that the mile of track along the west side of the harbor property would be laid regardless of whether or not the El Dorado Oil company locates here.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE TO ATTEND RALLY

The Epworth League of the Community Methodist church is planning a rally to Modesto Saturday evening, where they will attend a district rally.

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# SPORTS

## MALIKS AND DOUGALS IN TIE CONTEST

The Dougals and the Malikis fought a seven inning tie at the city hall courts, the Dougals scored two runs.

Pinto deserves a hand for the game. He was in good form striking out six and allowing only six hits. The boys were there, and loomed up big throughout the game.

Sumner pitched for the Malikis and was wild, wild, wild. At that, he held the Dougals to 8 hits, fanning three and walking four. Laveque had a hard time holding the speed demon.

The fielding was good on both sides with only three errors made throughout the game.

But the umpire! Spike Elder was terrible. It was one of his days and the ball he hit

Taylor and Laveque didn't help to sweeten his disposition. The fans figured the score different from the umpire. Archie's gang figures it had another run coming to them when Taylor was called out at home and the Malikis knew they had one more run to their credit when Whetzel slid home and was called out.

There was plenty of excitement throughout the game. The score stood one all up to the seventh inning. The Dougals stepped up to bat with Cornell knocking a single. Harrison struck out. Taylor walked and Kamb was put in as a pinch hitter. And he hit a single, scoring Cornell. This gave the Malikis a lead.

Then the Malikis did their stuff. Kelly walked, Carson after several attempts managed to hunt on the third strike, shoving Kelly to second. Whetzel singled, scoring Kelly and getting to second on the throw. That tied the score again and ended the game.

Now, with this tie, the Malikis lead the league; the Dougals and Malikis are tied for second place and the Santa Fe team is in the cellar. Next week ought to show some promising baseball.

Box Score:

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Carson ss	3	1	0	0
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Batted for Wickesser in 7th.  
Score by Innings:  
Dougals 0 0 1 0 0 0 1-2  
Maliks 1 0 2 1 0 2 2-8  
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as all the teams are in better condition and are out to fight.

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## Junior Loop Games Ordered Forfeited

The Pinole club and the Penney Allstars of the Legion junior league forfeited games to the Baby Giants and St. Mark's respectively, as the result of a decision made by the national commission determining that the two teams had unintentionally used players over the age limit. The league ruling provides that all players be under 17 years of age.

On the commission are W. L. "Doc" Seawright, W. W. Scott, W. A. Autrey, Ed. Hill, and F. Shallenberger.

## HOTEL CARQUINEZ

Arrivals at the Hotel Carquinez yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. E. Layton of Los Angeles, Mr. E. Johnson of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis of San Francisco and G. E. Moynahan of Sacramento.

## Cubs Take Lead In Race By Win Over Bostonians

CHICAGO, May 17.—Undisputed claim to the National League leadership came to the Chicago Cubs today when, in continuing their phenomenal winning streak, they downed the Boston Braves, 2 to 0.

It was the Cubs' eleventh straight victory. The Cincinnati Reds, who had been in a tie with the Cubs, dropped into second place today by losing to Brooklyn.

Pat Malone, Cubs pitcher, takes much of the credit for today's shutout victory. He held the Braves to five singles and was in danger only in the third inning. Until the seventh inning, Malone had allowed but one single and he eased up in the final three frames.

Hack Wilson, slugging center fielder for Chicago, drove the ball into left centerfield bleachers in the fourth inning for his fifth home run of the season. He also hit a triple but within blow served only to swell his batting average and did not figure in the scoring.

The only other run was scored by Chicago in the second. Stephenson opened the inning with a double to left, was sacrificed to third by Grimm and scored on Gonzales' single to right.

## Kentucky Derby Race To Be Run On Muddy Track

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 17.—Prospects of a fast track for the fourth running of the Kentucky Derby Saturday were practically wiped out today by a torrential rainstorm which left the track at Churchill Downs covered with water and mud.

The rain fell all morning and after a brief respite at noon began again in the afternoon. Although the afternoon rain was followed by clearing skies and a bright sun, little hope was held for a dry, fast track.

A heavy track will mean a field of about twenty starters. The last race field that ever started was in 1923 when 21 faced the starter. Yet winning should be no to the post, the winner will receive \$84,875 in addition to the \$5000 gold plate.

With a muddy track in sight, the chances of Jack Higgins Disfranchition, Bobahela, and Bonnyan took a leap as all of them are considered excellent mudders.

The Audley Farm's Bobahela, which worked a mile in 1:14 2-5 Wednesday with the Derby weight of 126 pounds, is gaining favor with turf men, who expect the Derby to be run over a heavy track.

The Wheatley stable's Disfranchition which defeated Victorino, winner of the Preakness, and Nasack, in the Wood handicap at Jamaica, also is finding backing with those who look for the track to be soft.

## Godfrey Signs Up For Risko Match

NEW YORK, May 17.—George Godfrey, negro heavyweight signed a contract with Humbert J. Fugazy today for a 10-round match with Johnny Risko of Cleveland at Ebbets Field, June 20. Risko signed several days ago.

It's surprising how many things a girl can learn at boarding school that will never be of any use to her.

## A Star of the Younger Set



MISS ELEANOR HOLM, whose years are a paltry 14, but whose experience in competitive sports already lists her among the veterans. She's one of the youngest and also one of the brightest stars of the Women's Swimming Association of America, and is almost certain that she will compete for her organization and the U. S. A. at the forthcoming Olympics in Amsterdam.

## Interest Of Fans Centers On May 27 Game

Interest of baseball fans in this section is focused on the coming clash between the Richmond Snakes and San Pablo, a benefit contest to be played at the first street park May 27, 20 hours, 8 minutes and 29 seconds.

The two clubs are natural rivals, and one of the most hotly contested games of the season will be the contest. The San Pablo outfit holds a 4 to 2, 10 inning decision over the local club, and Phil Graham, adds constituents are anxious to even the count.

## Lightweight Fight Called Off By Rain

NEW YORK, May 17.—The lightweight championship fight between Sammy Mandell and Jimmy McLarnie, scheduled for tonight at the Polo Grounds, was postponed until Friday night, because of threatening weather.

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## RICHMOND HIGH NET TEAM IN FINAL WINS

Winning three out of five matches yesterday against San Leandro in the city hall courts, the Richmond high school tennis club took the final game of the season.

Reld Bullock won the first singles, 6-4, 6-4; Paul Potts and Bertel Peterson lost the doubles; Don Seawright won the next singles, 6-2, 8-6; Don Seawright and Reld Bullock took the second doubles and Cliff Fallon lost the final singles.

The local team closes the season with a fairly good record, with such veteran players as Seawright and Bullock furnishing sustaining power for the more inexperienced members of the club.

Although yesterday's matches officially closed the season, it is thought that post-season matches may be arranged before the lads hang up their rackets.

## VISITS PARENTS

Billie Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Brown of 21 Water street, have just arrived from Baltimore, where he has been by way of the Panama canal. Brown is employed on the Standard Oil tanker C. F. Todd. He will visit with his parents for a few days before taking up his duties again.

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## SAVING HABIT JAP EMPEROR IS GROWING ON BEHIND NEW STUDENTS HERE WAR POLICY

Students in local schools last month saved a total of \$1,934.65, according to Miss Arrietta Coon of the American Trust company. This sum was saved by 2,750 pupils.

Money was deposited as follows: Fairmount 155 pupils, \$111.71; Grhrt, 279, \$134.18; Harding, 40, \$24.64; Lincoln, 210, \$191.79; Nye, 108, \$57.38; Perez, 158, \$141.07; Pullman 50, \$22.87; Stege, 77, \$69.45; Washington 111, \$63.30; Woodrow, Wilson, 135, \$85.09; Union High school, 204, \$371; Junior high, 888, \$511.10; San Pablo, 248, \$131.09; Sobranie 7, \$7.

One hundred per cent classes in Roosevelt Junior high school are as follows: Herbert Hunn, Barbara Hunt, Bevil Peters, Pearl Patton, Agnes Raab, Alice Robinson, and Melba Vaughn. At Grant the class of Lulu Pennington and Mrs. Lulu Watson are 100 per cent; at Pullman the class of Mrs. Lillian Ferguson, at Lincoln and classes of Mrs. Octavia Brown and Mrs. Eleanor Burns.

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THE HOOVER AT HOME—Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover, outstanding candidate for the Republican nomination for President, is shown with Mrs. Hoover in a new photograph taken in the garden of their home at Washington, D. C.

## Many Enjoy Program By Pupils Here

Many were present at a program given by the Lincoln grammar school children in the auditorium last night.

The program follows:

1. Songs:
    - (a) "Spring Time."
    - (b) "Apple Blossom Maidens."
  2. Scarf Dance:
    - Third and Fourth grades.
  3. "The Sleeping Beauty."
  4. First Grades.
  5. Song by Boys' Glee club.
  6. Mountain Dance, Sixth grades.
  7. Play, "The Dyspeptic Ogre."
  8. Sixth Grades.
- Rae Pemberton, Frances Gutierrez, Alice Noyes, Margaret Hinchshaw, Arline Ellis, Merriam Cross, Adeline Swenson, Julia Sloan, Frances Changellet, Ella Thompson, Jean Marshall, Barbara Eby, Mary Joan Lowell, Angie Erick, Linda Roberto, Mary Roveda, Anna Bellegarde, Bernice Ziem, Audrey Clark, Catherine Healy, Rose Woodcock, Gladys Fowler, Helen Henshaw, Edith Vickers.

SCARF DANCE  
Shirley De Vinney, Patricia Jungstrom, Dorothy Fiddler, Jane Abbey, June Webb, Hazel Castro, Violet Castro, Dorothy Howell.

SLEEPING BEAUTY  
Kenneth Terry, prince.  
Valora Nelson, princess.  
Princess attendants: Catherine Farrar, Bernice Johnson, Goldie Atwood.

Attendants: James Richards, Mike King, Donald Horgan, Chorus: Fern Pruden, Juanita Sausa, Ravenna Lovdal, David Elchar, Jack Danna, Thelma Erickson, Shetion Webb, Esther Agullar, Marian Smiraglia, Miriam Rowell, Irene Cromwell, Marjorie Cook, Jack Wethering Alice Brackett, Donald Hinkley.

BOYS' GLEE CLUB  
Engene McCray, Robert Elliott, Earl Soenson, Ernest Melin, Frank Pfeich Warren Cleveland, Kent Alexander, Will Kinnard, Roy Hagberg, Archie Stribley, Kenneth Gengler, James Brien, Clyde Cook, Howard Brockway, Aldo Rossati, Earl Vaughn.

MOUNTAIN DANCE  
Mary Madigan, Arlene Ellis, Edith Hasey, Adeline Swenson, Julia Sloan, Helen Silvy, James Rihn, Catherine Fasanero, Linda Roberto, Anna Bellegarde, Gladys Fowler, Catherine Healy.

THE DYSPYPTIC OGRE  
Royce Rummell, Wesley Raso, Annie Erich, Linda Roberto, Cash-rove Healy, Audrey Clark, Annie Bellegarde, Gladys Fowler, James Laptenschlager, Helen Silvy, Will Kinnard, Leonard Goldsworthy, Kenneth Alexander, Helen Clark, Eugene Marchall, Janis Rihn, Peter Pedrell, Catherine Fasanero.

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## Gets Fortune If Sick



VALUABLE—America's most highly insured boy is Edwin Weisk, Jr., 10 (above). His father, a Wall Street broker, has insured the boy for \$200,000, which is a lot of insurance for anyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Winkler will provide interesting sports for the various ages in a series of contests. L. J. Williams, with the help of D. E. Himes, will manage the baseball game for the married men against the single men; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Evans will see that hot coffee has a place on the picnic menu; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Himes will provide ice cream to counteract the hot coffee; Mrs. T. R. Webster, Mrs. A. Coakley, and Mrs. Charles A. Raymond are the committee on information about picnic requirements and arrangements of tables.

Every one is asked to come prepared for games and sports and to be present to join the company around the tables at 5:30 o'clock. However places will be reserved for those who will not be able to come until 6 o'clock on account of work.

## Annual Church Picnic To Be Held May 19

The annual picnic of the Grace Lutheran church and Sunday school will be held May 19, in East Shore park. Games and other amusements have been planned for the occasion.

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## MRS. NELLIE DAY RETURNS FROM TRIP

Mrs. Nellie Day has returned to her home at 3825 Barrett avenue, after a few months' visit with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Hanner of Buckhannon, West Virginia. When her mother was well on the way to recovery Mrs. Day returned going by way of Yosemite Valley.

## NEW TODAY

FOR RENT—3 ROOM HOUSE, furnished, no small children, rent reduced to \$17.50, inquire at 237 Eleventh street, 4 18 28.

FOR RENT—NEW 4 ROOM house, modern, on 40th St. between Nevin and Barrett. Apply East Side Grocery, 2118 Macdonald. 5 18 28.

## ATTEMPTS TO WRECK TRAIN HERE BARED

Seven attempts to wreck Santa Fe and Southern Pacific trains in Contra Costa county during recent months, two of which came near derailing crack passenger trains, were revealed in Martinez yesterday when it was disclosed that railroad investigators and the Contra Costa sheriff's office have been making and are continuing a searching investigation to apprehend the guilty party.

Admitting that an inquiry was under way the sheriff's office disclosed that a suspect, arrested recently at Tuttle, Merced county, following the near wrecking of a Santa Fe train, had been questioned. It was determined that the suspicions of the investigating officers are directed to an aged wayfarer.

Belief is held that the guilty party is proceeding afoot from one county to another, in view of attempts to wreck trains in Merced and Santa Clara counties. The view is held that the person responsible is demented.

It was revealed that three attempts to wreck trains near Sonoma station, on the Santa Fe line, and four attempts to wreck trains of the Southern Pacific near Redwood are under investigation. Three methods have been pursued in attempts at derailment. Switches have been thrown, frogs have been stuffed and obstructions have been placed across tracks.

Santa Fe train No. 5, San Francisco to Los Angeles, missed being wrecked near Luzon while traveling 60 miles an hour, by only a few seconds. As the train flashed by a block signal the engineer glanced back and noticed that it had dropped. He halted his train and investigation revealed an open switch. Blocks ordinarily are a mile apart but on this section of the line they are spaced at every half mile.

It was learned also that a Southern Pacific limited train narrowly escaped a wreck at Redwood when a track walker discovered a stuffed frog.

In the recent attempt an obstruction was placed across the track and applied. The train it was intended to wreck crashed into the obstruction at slow speed as it was ordered onto a siding to permit another train to pass.

The suspect, 67 years of age, was liberated after authorities had taken him into railroad custody and before station masters in an effort to identify him.

"Since the attempted wreckings of lines of both companies through the county have been patrolled by a large force of men but nothing to excite suspicion has been found in the last few weeks."

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## Read's 8th STREET DEPARTMENT STORE

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## Scout Camp To Open June 11

The Contra Costa county boys Scout camp will be held from June 11 to July 18, this year at the customary place near Concord, according to registration blanks being circulated among the local Scout troops. The camp will be under the management of J. R. Warner, council executive.

From July 21 to August 4, some of the scouts attending the Camp Diablo will be permitted to entrain to Mountain Camp, belonging to the San Joaquin council on the Stanislaus river, and near the Calaveras big trees. Only first class scouts who have attended Camp Diablo or other recognized camps will be eligible. Applications for this camp should go to Executive J. R. Warner.

Members of the camp committee at Camp Diablo this year are C. L. Clark of Richmond; J. D. Keith of Crockett; E. W. Moyer of Walnut Creek; Walter Adams of Pinole; A. J. Boncke of Crockett; F. P. Costa of Martinez; G. S. Murray of Pittsburg; H. A. West of Antioch and G. E. Soares of Concord.

DANCE IS HELD BY  
LOCAL POCAHONTAS

Oneta council, "Daughters of Pocahontas," held a dance last night at the Masonic hall following a short business meeting which began at 7:30 o'clock. Pocahontas, Marie Schults presided and plans were made for a food sale to be held at the P. O. Board's room tomorrow.

Mrs. Grace McManis is chairman of the affair and requests that all those making donations have the articles at the store not later than 9:30 o'clock.

Russell's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing and the committee in charge was Mrs. Ruth Gall and E. Meindersee.

RAGS WANTED



## Cooking with a modern Electric Range

Above is a picture of a woman cooking with an Electric Range.

How absurd you say. But not so at all. Her Electric Range with its automatic time and temperature controls is doing the cooking automatically, while she is away from the kitchen.

The dinner placed in the cold oven at one o'clock starts to cook at four. The temperature control keeps the oven heat just right.

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